

# **SANTA CRUZ ISLAND: MANUSCRIPT DOCUMENTS**

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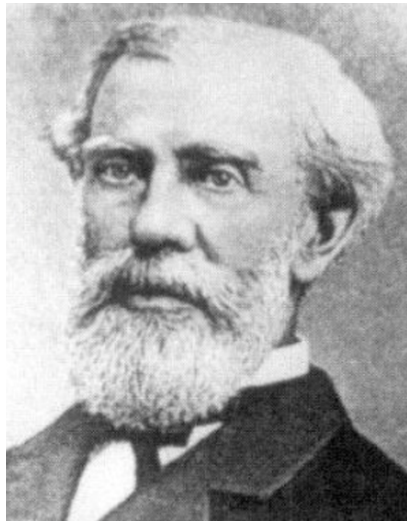
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## **JAMES BARRON SHAW AND DESCENDANTS**



**James Barron Shaw (1813-1902)**

London-born son of a Scotch father, Angus Shaw (c. 1771-1821 London) and an English mother, Sarah Manley (1786- ), second wife of Angus. James B. Shaw was a graduate of the University of Glasgow (1836) and the Royal College of Surgeons. Shaw made three trips around the world, serving as ship's surgeon on a variety of sailing vessels, before arriving in Santa Barbara on January 6, 1850. He practiced medicine and became the first president of the Santa Barbara County Medical Society. In 1851 he began paying the taxes on Santa Cruz Island on behalf of island grantee, Andres Castillero.

In May 1852 Shaw traveled to Tepic, Mexico to visit friends and relatives. When he returned a year later, Shaw began managing Santa Cruz Island for island grantee, Andres Castillero. Shaw continued as manager when the island sold to William E. Barron in 1857, and for the next twelve years, until its sale to the Santa Cruz Island Company in 1869. Shaw was one of the investors in Santa Barbara's first wharf, built at the foot of Chapala Street, prior to the construction of Stearn's Wharf. He also invested in a number of ranches, including Los Alamos, La Laguna de San Francisco, La Patera and the Ortega ranch in Montecito.

On May 16, 1861 in San Francisco, Shaw, 47, married Helen Augusta Green, 30. William Eustace Barron, owner of Santa Cruz Island, served as best man. The Shaws had four sons, only one of whom survived to adulthood, James Barron Shaw Jr. (1862-1935). William E. Barron and Thomas Bell served as godfathers.

James B. Shaw, Jr. married Alice Teresa Perkins in Santa Barbara on March 29, 1886. They had three children (grandchildren to James Barron Shaw), all of whom married, but none of whom had children. James Barron Shaw died on January 6, 1902 at 88 years of age and is buried in Santa Barbara Cemetery, along with his wife and namesake son. The large brick Georgian-style Shaw home was located at 231 State Street and took up the block between Montecito and Yananoli streets. It was extensively landscaped, and here the family lived in luxury. Today the Santa Barbara train depot and the Neal Hotel occupy the former Shaw land.

"He [Shaw] dominated the local scene as a sort of prince living in a degree of elegance beyond the dream of anybody else in town, with six servants, and a carriage and coachman each for himself and Madam Shaw." [Owen Oneil. History of Santa Barbara County, 1939].

## SHAW FAMILY

- 1. Angus Shaw (c. 1771-1821)
- 2. John Shaw (1774-1819)
- 3. Duncan Shaw (c. 1786-1846)

Angus Shaw (c. 1771 Scotland-1821 London)

= **Wife # 1.** Anne Brodie (aft. 1780 England-1810 London) died @ 30

- : 1. Anne Shaw (1804- )
- : 2. John Farquhar Shaw (1806-1892)
- : 3. Angus Shaw (1807- )
- : 4. Charles Duncan Shaw (1808- )

= **Wife # 2.** Sarah Manley (1786- )

- : 5. **James Barron Shaw (1813-1902)**
- : 6. Duncan Manley Shaw (1814-1814)
- : 7. Donald Shaw (1815- )
- : 8. William Septimus Shaw (1816- )
- : 9. George Shaw (1820- )

**James Barron Shaw** (Nov. 4, 1813-Jan. 6, 1902) = [1861] Helen Augusta Shaw née Green (1831-Dec. 9, 1913)

- 1. James Barron Shaw, Jr. (1862-May 28, 1932) = [1886] Alice Teresa Shaw née Perkins (1864-Dec. 3, 1940)

1. Hazel Dunbar Shaw (1887-1971) [SS#550-10-6248] = SBCEMETERY

1. [Nov. 6, 1907; Santa Ana] David James Lambert—she a widow in 1920 census

2. [April 3, 1926; Los Angeles] George Rogers Price (1879-1955) SB CEMETERY

2. Alice Barron Shaw (Aug. 15, 1889-Dec. 10, 1980) [SS#562-66-7745]=

[Sept. 20, 1922; San Bernardino] George L. Greer (Aug. 16, 1877-Nov. 1, 1944)

#### ANGELES ROSEDALE CEMETERY TOGETHER

3. James Barron Shaw III (Oct. 27, 1892-Dec. 6, 1945) [SS#550-05-9389]

- 2. stillborn male Shaw (March 11, 1864)
- 3. Herbert John Shaw (March 30, 1866-April 28, 1866) buried in Santa Barbara Mission
- 4. Donald Angus Shaw (January 13, 1869-June 26, 1876) died of cerebro-spinal meningitis. SBCEMETERY

(Greer, George L., 1877-1944). **The Holy Bible**. London: Samuel Bagster and Sons [and] New York: James Pott & Co., (1901). Black flexible leather.

“George Greer” stamped in gold on upper cover; “To my loving son George | Mother” on front free endpaper. Pencil notes from the 1920s on verso of front endpaper record that Greer read the Bible through three times. In 1922 in San Bernardino, Greer married Alice Barron Shaw, younger granddaughter of James Barron Shaw.

(Greer, George L., 1877-1944). **The Holy Bible**. Oxford: Printed at the University Press, n.d. Black flexible leather.

On the verso of the front endpaper is written in pencil: “George Greer | 625 Hope Street | Los Angeles | Cal.” Other pencilled notes are in the Bible, including another record of a reading through.

(Shaw, Alice Theresa née Perkins, 1864-1940). **The Holy Bible**. New York: American Bible Society, 1868. Tan morocco, spine in six compartments, brass clasp, all edges gilt.

Inscribed on front endpaper: “Papa | To | Alice Theresa | Brookline Apl 12<sup>th</sup> 1873 | [4 lines of verse].”

Pasted to the front flyleaf is an albumen photograph of a very young child, logically Alice Theresa.

Laid in is a three-paragraph typed meditation on courage, by one Edward Everett Norwood. Inscribed in pencil on rear endpaper: “A.T. Perkins | Santa Barbara | California.” In 1886 Perkins married James Barron Shaw, Jr., eldest son of James Barron Shaw.

(Shaw, Alice Theresa née Perkins, 1864-1940). **In Memoriam: Emma F. Dunbar-Perkins**.

[Santa Barbara]: 1893.

48 pages, printed wrappers.

Emma F. Dunbar-Perkins (1837-1893) was the mother of Alice Theresa Shaw. The Rev. Philip S. Thacher, of the Unitarian Church in Santa Barbara, conducted the funeral.

(Shaw, Alice Theresa née Perkins, 1864-1940). **In Memoriam: Joseph Jackson Perkins**.

[Santa Barbara]: 1919.

36 pages, printed stiff wrappers.

Joseph Jackson Perkins (1834-1919) was the father of Alice Theresa Shaw. The Rev. Benjamin A. Goodridge, of the Unitarian Church in Santa Barbara, conducted the funeral.

(Shaw, Donald Angus, 1869-1876). **The Holy Bible**. Oxford: Printed at the University Press, n.d. Brown morocco, spine in six compartments, all edges gilt.

Inscribed on front flyleaf: “Donald Angus Shaw | With best love from his | Godmother Emily Shaw. | Janry 13<sup>th</sup> 1876 | [3-line Bible verse].” Donald Angus Shaw, fourth son of James Barron Shaw, died from meningitis on June 26, 1876 and is buried in Santa Barbara Cemetery.

(Shaw, Donald Angus, 1869-1876). **The Book of Common Prayer**. New York: D. Appleton & Co., 1869. Purple velvet with brass edges and clasp, brass Christogram on upper cover, all edges gilt, in black morocco case.

Inscribed on front flyleaf: “Donald Angus Shaw | from | Charles J. Shaw | Janry 1874.” It is not certain who Charles J. Shaw is. Charles Duncan Shaw was an uncle to Donald Angus.

Shaw, James Barron (1813-1902) **Diary.**

Various locations at sea and around the world: May 7, 1837-October 13, 1845.

Manuscript, [131] pages, three light pencil sketches on final blank pages, six small pen-and-ink sketches including two South Pacific vignettes, on rear endpaper, brown leather over flexible boards. This diary records a large portion of Shaw's years as ship's surgeon on various vessels. The "Earl Durham", under Captain James Cabel, departed London on May 7, 1837, visited Australia and New Zealand, and returned to London on March 19, 1838. The "Morayshire", under Captain T.H. Lamotte, departed Liverpool on August 26, 1838, bound to Rio de Janeiro. Aboard the barque "Canada", under Captain James Potts, Shaw made a round trip between Sydney and Manila, departing June 15, 1839 and returning in February or March 1840. He soon shipped again, departing Sydney aboard the "Middlesex", on St. Patrick's Day 1840. Under Captain Monro, the ship went to Port Nicholson in New Zealand and crossed the Pacific to Chile (Valparaiso and Huasco), then to Peru (Islay), and from thence to Liverpool, arriving February 14, 1841 and completing his second voyage around the world. On June 10 of that year, Shaw shipped out from Plymouth aboard the "William Turner", bound for Sydney and then Calcutta, arriving February 2, 1842. It appears that Shaw spent something over a year in India but without recording his experiences. At Calcutta, he boarded the "Robarts" under Captain Stevenson, bound for London, departing March 25, 1843 and arriving August 24. The diary resumes on February 11, 1845, when Shaw shipped on the "Ann", under Captain Stevenson, from Portsmouth to Madras, continuing on to Penang, Singapore and Hong Kong. The diary concludes when the "Ann" anchored in Hong Kong on October 13, 1845.

(Shaw, James Barron, 1813-1902) **The Holy Bible.** New York: Leavitt and Allen, n.d. [circa 1860].

1431 pages + engraved double frontispiece, 8 full-page engraved illustrations and 3 engraved leaves for family records, brown calf elaborately stamped in gold and black, spine in six compartments.

The Shaw family record is placed between the Apocrypha and the New Testament. It opens with the May 16, 1861 wedding of James Barron Shaw and Helen Augusta Green. Four subsequent weddings are recorded. The first birth recorded was that of James Barron, Jr., on May 29, 1862, in Santa Barbara. Subsequently recorded was his christening on June 26, 1863, in San Francisco by William Ingraham Kip, the first Episcopal Bishop of California. Six subsequent births are recorded. The first death recorded was that of Herbert John, a 29-day old infant who died on April 28, 1866 and who was buried at the Santa Barbara Mission. Four subsequent deaths are recorded, with the latest record in the volume being the May 28, 1932 passing of James Barron Shaw, Jr. Laid in is a December 14, 1933 autograph letter signed from a "Mollie" to a "Lalla". It refers to a George and Allie who traveled to San Luis Obispo and evidently resided there; the reference would be to George L. Greer and Alice Barron Shaw.

(Shaw, James Barron, 1813-1902) **Medical degree, University of Glasgow.**

Glasgow: April 27, 1836.

Latin, manuscript on vellum, 14-line text and 19 signatures, 4 revenue stamps in left margin, large oval orange wax seal of the University in tin container, attached to document by vellum strip.

(Shaw, James Barron, 1813-1902) **The New Testament of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.**

Cambridge: Printed by J. Smith, Printer to the University, 1830. Olive diced calf, spine in six compartments.

Inscribed on front free endpaper in two hands. The earlier hand reads "James B. Shaw | Decr. 25<sup>th</sup> 1832." The later reads "From John F. Shaw to [earlier inscription]. This book has been my companion three times round the world. The print being now too small for my use I hand it over to my dear son. James Barron Shaw, Decr. 25<sup>th</sup> 1876." James Barron had received this book from his older brother John Farquhar Shaw.

(Shaw family) Hubbard, Alice (editor). **An American Bible.** East Aurora, New York: The Roycrofters, (1918). Blind-stamped limp brown leather.

Not the Holy Bible, this is a compilation of moral and philosophical writings by Franklin, Jefferson, Paine, Lincoln, Whitman, Ingersoll, Emerson and Elbert Hubbard. From the Shaw papers, but without any inscriptions or family records.

(Shaw family) **The Holy Bible** [together with] **The Book of Common Prayer.** Oxford: Printed at the University Press, 1866. 2 volumes in matching maroon morocco by Field of London, spines in six compartments, all edges gilt, in matching silk-lined maroon morocco case, boss removed from each upper cover (appears to have been the initial "B").

From the Shaw papers, but without any inscriptions or family records.

(Shaw family) **The comprehensive pocket Bible.** Pittsburgh: United Presbyterian Board of Publication, 1871. Gold-stamped black morocco, beveled edges, spine in six compartments, all edges gilt.

From the Shaw papers. Indistinct owner stamp on front endpaper and front flyleaf, indistinct pencil inscriptions of an Ottumwa, Iowa owner on front flyleaf and blank recto of frontispiece.

(Shaw family) **The Holy Bible.** London: Collins' Clear-Type Press, [circa 1912]. Flexible black leather with yapp edges.

From the Shaw papers, but without any name inscriptions or family records. There is one note in the Bible, at the beginning of Genesis. It refers to the first four words of the Bible having been spoken by Bishop Quail on January 21, 1912. The reference is probably to William Alfred Quayle, then Methodist bishop of Oklahoma City.

(Shaw family) **The Book of Common Prayer.** N.p., [circa 1893]. Black flexible leather stamped in gold on upper cover, all edges gilt.

From the Shaw papers, but without any inscriptions or family records.

## JUSTINIAN CAIRE COMPANY



Justinian Caire (1827-1897)

**CAIRE, Justinian** (1827-1897) was born on December 3, 1827 in Briançon in the French Alps, the last of nine children who grew to adulthood of Jean Pierre Caire (47) and María Anna Adelaide Arduin (43). Caire was raised and educated in Briançon. In 1846 at the wish of his father, 19-year-old Justinian left his hometown to take a job working for cousins who had a hardware business just a short distance away in Genoa, Italy. In Genoa, he enrolled in a school of commerce and learned both Italian and the mercantile trade. Through fellow student Giosue Molino he also met his future bride, Maria Cristina Molino. By the fall of 1850, the young Caire had saved enough money to sail for California aboard *Aurelie*. Also aboard was 40-year-old Claude Long, with whom Caire entered business. On March 29, 1851, one hundred and fifty-two days later, the 23-year-old Caire arrived in San Francisco, landing as a merchant selling French hardware and luxury goods to the booming mining community in San Francisco. Caire & Long first appeared in the 1852 San Francisco directory at 178 Washington Street. In late 1854, Caire returned to Italy to marry his Genoese fiancé, and together they returned to San Francisco via Nicaragua and the Isthmus of Tehuantepec. In 1856, Caire and Long separated, and the business became Caire Brothers, reflecting the role of Justinian Caire's older brother in supplying merchandise from France.



Justinian Caire Company. **Cash book.**

San Francisco: October 8, 1908-September 18, 1909.

Manuscript, 405 pages, black cloth with roan spine and tips, manuscript spine labels.

Justinian Caire Company. **Cash book.**

San Francisco: July 22, 1910-June 15, 1911.

Manuscript, 403 pages, black cloth with red fabricoid spine and tips, manuscript spine labels.

Justinian Caire Company. [**Day book**]

San Francisco: September 20, 1906-June 29, 1907.

Manuscript, 300 pages, printed canvas with roan tips.

Justinian Caire Company. **Day book.**

San Francisco: July 1, 1907-May 29, 1908.

Manuscript, 310 pages, printed canvas with roan tips.

Justinian Caire Company. **Day books.**

San Francisco: April 14, 1909-July 12, 1912.

Manuscript, four volumes, printed canvas with roan tips and red or black leather spine labels, additional manuscript spine labels on 3 volumes.

Justinian Caire Company. **City ledger.**

San Francisco: March 27, 1907-December 31, 1942.

Printed ledger sheets filled out in manuscript, [16] pages, tan corduroy with black leather tips, black leather title label on upper cover.

What remains of the ledger is a remnant. There are a few entries for the account "Disbursements: Market Str. Property", before the notation that the account was transferred to the general ledger. There is a short list of certified checks issued between 1908 and 1912, and a page for the account of Santa Cruz Portland Cement Company. The remainder of the entries are for the Santa Cruz Island Company account, including the notation that the account was transferred to the general ledger.

Justinian Caire Company. **General ledger.**

San Francisco: January 1, 1927-June 30, 1946.

Printed ledger sheets filled out in manuscript, tan corduroy with black leather tips, black leather title label on upper cover, alphabetical index tabs A-T.

Of note is that the Santa Cruz Island Company continued to exist and to have a small account with the Justinian Caire Company, despite the April 10, 1937 sale of the Island to Edwin Stanton. SCIC paid a \$7.50 monthly rent in 1943, 1944 and 1945. A ledger sheet bears a notation that the account was transferred from the **City ledger**.

Justinian Caire Company. **Order book.**

San Francisco: February 1, 1907-December 30, 1916.

Manuscript, unpaginated, printed wrappers with cloth tape spine.

For each month there are five columns: date, A, B, C, and total. The lettered and total columns contain figures for each day of the month. Yearly recaps also appear, with the same column headings.

Beginning with September 1908, a "Sundries" column was added; in January 1909 that column heading was changed to "Calkins". This reflects a business relationship (distributorship or similar); The Calkins Company was a Los Angeles manufacturer of assaying equipment. The sundries/Calkins column contains figures for some but not all days. Beginning with January 1911, a line for the SCI Company appears below the last day of each month. Notations at the bottom of December 1913 refer to A, B and C as departments. The volume appears to be a record of daily, monthly and yearly totals of merchandise sold, segregated by three departments and Calkins products.

**SANTA CRUZ ISLAND COMPANY:  
CAIRE FAMILY**

Caire, A[rthur] J[oshua] and Frederic F[elix] Caire. **Letters.**

San Francisco: February 21, 1912-December 30, 1913.

Typescript and a small number of manuscript letters, in copy book. Index section (used) + 298 sheets of copy paper, black cloth with black leather spine.

Together with a spiral bound inventory and summary of the letters.

Caire, A[rthur] J[oshua] and Frederic F[elix] Caire. **Letters.**

San Francisco: January 2, 1914-September 11, 1915.

Typescript and a small number of manuscript letters, in copy book. Index section (used) + 291 sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "JANY 1914 | LETTERS | S.C.I.C."

Together with a spiral bound inventory and summary of the letters.

Caire, A[rthur] J[oshua] and Frederic F[elix] Caire. **Letters.**

San Francisco: September 17, 1915-June 20, 1917.

Typescript and a small number of manuscript letters, in copy book. Index section (used) + 299 sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "SEPT 1915 | LETTERS | S.C.I.C."

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Cash book.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1, 1890-October 31, 1898.

Manuscript, 215 pages, marbled boards with leather spine and tips.

Each month occupies a two-page opening, with receipts on the versos (left side) and disbursements on the rectos (right side).

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Cash book.**

Santa Cruz Island: November 1, 1898-September 26, 1906.

Manuscript, 216 pages (lacking pages 209-214 though with no apparent loss of content), marbled boards with leather spine and tips, manuscript title label on upper cover.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Current accounts.**

Santa Cruz Island: August 1889-February 1904.

Manuscript, three volumes, in copy books, black cloth with roan spines and tips.

Volume 1: August 1889-January 1894. Index section (blank) + 494 sheets of copy paper.

Volume 2: February 1894-June 1899. Index section (blank) + 499 sheets of copy paper, manuscript title labels on upper cover and spine.

Volume 3: June 1899-February 1904. Index section (blank) + 499 sheets of copy paper.

Santa Cruz Island Company. [**Daily diary for Main Ranch**]

Santa Cruz Island: August 14, 1900-December 31, 1902.

Manuscript, in the **California daily journal, for 1900**. Unpaginated, black cloth with roan spine and tips, title stamped in gold on upper cover.

Each entry opens with the weather, the temperature as of 6 AM, noon and 6 PM. The entries list the day's duties and the number of employees assigned to each. On days when people or vessels arrived or departed, such was noted. Most of the sailings simply say "Schooner", referring to the "Santa Cruz." This volume begins the longest SCI Company record series in SCIF Archives, with continuous coverage for the years 1904 through 1987 (the volume for 1903 is lacking). For 1904 through 1960, there is one annual volume with the exception of an additional cattle diary for 1950. Beginning in 1961 and running through 1986, the record series includes the Stanton desk planner for each year in addition to the diary. Over the years, the diary entries became less detailed. In the fall of 1924, Pietro "Pete" Olivari began keeping the record; the volumes for 1925 through 1940 are in Italian. Olivari switched to English beginning with 1941; his last entry was in the morning of October 24, 1960. The afternoon reading is in a different hand along with the notation "Pete went to hospital." During Olivari's time of keeping the record, other hands are interspersed; the constant is how faithfully the daily weather was recorded.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Employees.**

Santa Cruz Island: November 10, 1884-August 28, 1917.

Manuscript, 101 numbered double-page spreads, single page 102, black cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gilt "EMPLOYEES | S.C.I.Co."

Each spread contains the following columns: Number of certificate, name of employee, occupation or profession, duration of engagement, end of engagement, free or conditional, commenced to work, salary, duration of new engagement, salary for renewal, gratification if any, when left, and remarks. Spreads 1-47 are filled, spreads 48-96 are blank, and spreads 97-101 are filled.

The "gratification" column covers the terms under which employees left the Company; the first page explains the terminology used to describe departures. Some of the terms allow for rehiring, others preclude it.

The remarks are trenchant, illuminating and altogether entertaining. The first entry is for assistant superintendent S.J. Rasette, who stayed 8 months. Under "gratification" he is described as "not fit to be in society" and under "remarks" it is noted that he "should have never been taken on the island." In contrast, the second entry is for one P. Marini, "a faithful man in every respect." On October 9, 1916 one G. Romano, a gardener, was discharged, with the remarks noting "Immoral talk about fellow employees. Demented and Dangerous." The latest entry was for one D. Luoni, a teamster, dismissed on August 28, 1917. The reason being, he "Tapped Puncheons on way to P.H., Drunk and abuse of team." Beginning in April 1886 and running through September 1893, many of the remarks are in French.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Horses & mares.**

Santa Cruz Island: 1907-1931.

English and Italian, manuscript, in **The national diary** for 1903. 368 pages (incomplete), red cloth with title stamped in black on upper cover, manuscript title label pasted over stamped title.

Four pages of listings for horses run from pages 48-51. Each horse is listed by name, date of birth, color, markings (if applicable), sire, dam, type (wagon or saddle horse), date broken, and remarks.

Regrettably the remarks include the deaths of some horses; when horses died their entries were stricken through.

Four pages of listings for mares run from pages 54-57. These are in the same format as above.

Page 60 begins a new set of listings for mares. Only the names are present; pages 61-68 are lacking.

Fourteen pages of listings for horses run from pages 70-83. Some of these listings are in Italian, others in English.

Six pages of listings for mares run from pages 88-93.

Six pages of listings for mares run from pages 96-105, with pages 101-4 lacking.

Pages 106-113 comprise an inventory of horses as of February 28, 1931. A horse named Moro, born in 1912 but broken only in 1919, is listed as being "broken by McElrath."

Eight pages of listings for mares run from pages 120-129. In Italian.

Page 357 lists 7 bulls, calved between 1927 and 1930. Three of the bulls are from Dos Pueblos Ranch.

Page 366 is "Samples of rations for feeding work horses." Undated.

**Santa Cruz Island Company. Invoices.** Each binder is in reverse chronological order with the earliest invoice at the rear of the binder and the most recent at the front. The binders have partial manuscript indices at the rear, indexing by type of commodity and referencing the invoice numbers.

Most invoices are on billhead as follows: "Santa Cruz Island Company | List of Goods Shipped from San Francisco to Santa Cruz Island". The forms list date of requisition, destination and articles.

Although the invoices were written in San Francisco, this record series was maintained on the Island.

All Company records maintained in the City and predating April 18, 1906 were destroyed; the Justinian Caire Company/SCI Company headquarters was gutted by fire following the April 18 earthquake. All invoices in the series bear fold lines from having been mailed. The **Invoices** and **Shipments** volumes (also in SCIF Archives) are complementary record series, the latter being retained copies of **Invoices**.

The **Shipments** volumes cover the following periods for which **Invoices** are not present in SCIF

Archives: May 6, 1906-May 27, 1909, and February 27, 1918-June 22, 1923.

San Francisco and Santa Cruz Island: September 18, 1882-December 7, 1889.

Printed billhead forms filled out in manuscript, invoices numbered 3-187 + unnumbered 25-invoice section (earliest), with some invoices being more than one sheet, left side of each sheet pasted to a stub that is in turn sewn into the binding, black cloth with black leather spine.

San Francisco and Santa Cruz Island: December 26, 1889-September 20, 1898.

Printed billhead forms filled out in manuscript or typescript, invoices numbered 188-325, A6-A30, B2-B63, C1-C11, with some invoices being more than one sheet, left side of each sheet pasted to a stub that is in turn sewn into the binding, black cloth with black leather spine, manuscript "2" on paper spine label. With Invoice 325 (September 19, 1894) a very few typescript invoices begin to appear. A few of the invoices are not on standard forms, but on the versos of other Company forms.

Together with a description (February 1986) by Marla Daily.

San Francisco and Santa Cruz Island: June 10, 1909-April 20, 1914.

Printed billhead forms filled out in manuscript, invoices numbered H59-H192, A1-A105, with some invoices being more than one sheet, left side of each sheet pasted to a stub that is in turn sewn into the binding, black cloth with black leather spine.

Together with a description (February 1986) by Marla Daily. Invoice H166 (July 5, 1911) for goods to be shipped via the steamer "Santa Rosa" is overwritten "Lost through wreck of steamer July 6, 1911."

San Francisco and Santa Cruz Island: April 21, 1914-February 23, 1918.

Printed billhead forms filled out in manuscript or typescript, invoices numbered A106-A231, B7-B111, left side of each sheet pasted to a stub that is in turn sewn into the binding, black cloth with black leather spine.

Together with a description (February 1986) by Marla Daily.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Journal.**

San Francisco: January [May] 1906-November 15, 1947.

Manuscript, eleven volumes, printed canvas with roan (Volumes 1-3) or red cloth tips, red and black leather spine labels with the word JOURNAL and the opening date of the volume, each volume numbered either by a numeral stamped on the spine or in manuscript.

Volume 1: January 1906-June 30, 1909. The January-April entries are a re-creation. A prefatory note on page 1 explains that all Company records were lost in the earthquake and fire, and that "we are compelled to make all our entries from memory and from such papers as may be on record in the various counties of the State."

Volume 2: July 1, 1909-September 30, 1912.

Volume 3: October 2, 1912-March 31, 1916.

Volume 4: March 31, 1916-October 31, 1918.

Volume 5: October 31, 1918-June 30, 1920.

Volume 6: June 30, 1920-July 31, 1924.

Volume 7: August 5, 1924-December 31, 1927.

Volume 8: January 3, 1928-December 31, 1930.

Volume 9: January 2, 1931-March 12, 1934.

Volume 10: March 12, 1934-April 30, 1938.

Volume 11: May 2, 1938-November 15, 1947.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Journal of cash payments to employees.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1, 1886 to October 31, 1897.

Manuscript, 256 pages, marbled boards with roan spine and tips, manuscript title label on upper cover. The first 16 pages of the volume are a general journal, dated from September 14, 1884 to April 14, 1885. Also of note, the \$290.59 that opens the journal, corresponds to the August 29, 1884 SCI Company invoice. The journal assigns \$20.31 of that invoice to the store account. Four items on the invoice are marked in pencil as “store” and they total \$20.31. An expenditure of \$77.10 for telephone is listed on the page for February 1, 1885. This is remarkable, given that the phone was invented only nine years earlier. The main part of the journal lists dates, employee names and sums paid. Some of the transactions bear notations like “claret”, “watch repaired” or “poll tax”. From the volume itself, the reader cannot tell whether these special transactions were paid as part of compensation or were advances; all payments were recorded in the left column (of 2). Beginning in February 1892 the right column was used to record farm products (including wine) going to employees, and passage. Page 199 for April 1894 records three conveyances of manufactured items to employees; these were subsequently stricken through with the notation “store a/c” added. See **Store accounts** and **Store sales** volumes in SCIF Archives.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **[Journal of cash payments to employees] From November 1897 to December 1910: cash payments.**

Santa Cruz Island: November 1, 1897 to December 26, 1910.

Manuscript, 301 pages (lacking 1-2, 9-10), canvas with roan tips, 2 manuscript title labels on upper cover.

As with the preceding journal, this volume was repurposed, hence the lacking pages and the six remaining preliminary pages being glued together. The left and right columns are used throughout this volume, although the rationale for the division between the columns is not clear. Poll taxes, for instance, can appear either in the right column (page 33) or the left (page 34).

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger D.**

Santa Cruz Island: September 2, 1890-January 23, 1895.

Manuscript, [28, index], 404 pages, marbled boards with black leather spine and tips, spine stamped in gold “LEDGER | S.C.I.C. | D.”

Employee and customer accounts. Pages 1-287 cover regular employees; pages 290-317 cover customers in Santa Barbara, Los Angeles and San Francisco, and pages 342-404 cover shearers, vaqueros and other seasonal employees. The customers section records sales of wine, livestock, poultry and eggs. The shearers section documents the use of fichas. The employee section records advances made against labor performed and wages paid. These include passage and various supplies including clothing. Of note among the supplies advanced, are shears for the shearers. The account for each employee is headed with the name and job title. Employee accounts existing as of January 1, 1893 bear the notation “Balance forward to Ledger E.” Customer accounts were transferred to Ledger E at the end of January 1895 (pages 296, 298).



Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger E.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1, 1893-December 31, 1902.

Manuscript, 432 pages (lacking first leaf), marbled boards with black leather spine (partially perished) and tips, spine stamped in gold "L[EDGER] | S.C.I.C. | E."

Employee and customer accounts. Note on page 3 reads as follows: "N.B. From Sept. 1, 1896 to Dec'r 31, 1902, this book was reserved for Vaqueros, Shearers and customers, the accounts of regular employees being entered on Ledger F after Sept. 1, 1896 (with a few exceptions)."

Pages 3-27 comprise the index. This volume is less detailed than the preceding as to advances; most simply read "To store." Passage is broken out individually; supply purchases are occasionally itemized.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger G.**

Santa Cruz Island: March 1, 1907-March 1, 1911.

Manuscript, [28, index], 368 pages, printed canvas with roan tips, "LEDGER | G" stamped in gold on spine, manuscript date label on upper cover.

Employee and customer accounts. Employee accounts are at pages 1-346. Advances read "To store" with a very few mentions of "livestock." Passage no longer appears as a line item. Customer accounts are at pages 347-368.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger I.**

Santa Cruz Island: June 1, 1916-August 31, 1922.

Manuscript, [28, index], 372 pages, printed canvas with red cloth tips, leather spine labels reading "LEDGER | S.C.I.C. | I."

Employee and a very few customer accounts. Advances read "To store." Of note is Ira K. Eaton's account, transferred from Ledger H to page 261 of this volume.

Together with a transcription and alphabetization of the index, by Marla Daily.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger. Number 1.**

San Francisco: January 1, 1906-December 31, 1918.

Manuscript, [28, index], 370 pages, suede with roan trim, leather spine label reading LEDGER and paper label with the number 1.

The earliest entries would have been re-created due to the fire.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Ledger. Number 2.**

San Francisco: January 1, 1919-January 31, 1930.

Manuscript, [28, index], 372 pages, suede with roan trim, leather spine labels reading "LEDGER | SCIC | 2 | JANY 2 | 1919."

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Letters (including superintendent's reports).**

Santa Cruz Island: December 26, 1897-January 4, 1901.

English, Italian, Spanish (1 letter) and French (1 letter), manuscript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 499 numbered sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips.

In addition to letters, this volume includes superintendent's reports. The reports are numbered B62-B73 (author Leon Valadié), C1-C2 (author Arthur J. Caire), C3-C39 (Italian, author Carlo Erbeti), C40 (author Caire), C41-C49 (Italian, author Erbeti), C50 (author Caire) and C51-C142 (Italian, author Erbeti). The superintendent's reports in SCIF Archives pick up again on December 3, 1908, with the complementary record series **Official correspondence**.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Letters (including superintendent's reports).**

Santa Cruz Island: September 28, 1911-February 10, 1914.

Italian and English, manuscript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 296 numbered sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "LETTERS | Santa Cruz | Island | July | 1911."

This volume contains a small number of letters (in English), but with the bulk being superintendent's reports (in Italian, author Ugo Revel). The reports are retained copies of originals sent to the San Francisco office, there maintained under the title **Official correspondence** and present as such in SCIF Archives. They are numbered H192-H214 and A1-A122.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Letters (including superintendent's reports).**

Santa Cruz Island: October 21, 1916-February 19, 1918.

English and Italian (2 letters), predominantly manuscript with a minority of items in typescript, in copy book. Index section (few entries) + 299 numbered sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips.

Accompanied by a transcription of Sheets 1-20. This volume contains letters and superintendent's reports, primarily authored by Alanson Duncan Swain (Arthur J. Caire being the writer of some letters). The reports are retained copies of originals sent to the San Francisco office, there maintained under the title **Official correspondence** and present as such in SCIF Archives. They are numbered B26-B115.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Letters (including superintendent's reports).**

Santa Cruz Island: February 26, 1918-December 8, 1919.

Predominantly typescript with a minority of items in manuscript (Sheets 210-299 entirely manuscript), in copy book. Index section (blank) + 299 numbered sheets of copy paper, black cloth with sheep spine and tips, spine stamped "S.C.I.C." with evidence of further lettering no longer legible.

Accompanied by a transcription. This volume contains letters and superintendent's reports, primarily authored by Alanson Duncan Swain and Clifford McElrath (the manuscript section, beginning August 10, 1919). The reports are numbered B116-B219 and C5-C23, and are retained copies of originals sent to the San Francisco office. The **Official correspondence** series of originals in SCIF Archives runs up through B216 (August 15, 1919). On the original, B216 is re-numbered C1, with the notation "C. McElrath Supt. on Reports C." Reports after that number, found in the copy books, continue the sequence and are the only version available in the Archives.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Letters (including superintendent's reports).**

Santa Cruz Island: December 22, 1919-December 9, 1920.

Sheets 1-200 in manuscript, 201 to 306 in typescript, in copy book. 306 numbered sheets of copy paper (no index section), black cloth with red fabricoid spine and tips, spine label reading "Santa Cruz Island Co."

Accompanied by a transcription. This volume contains letters and superintendent's reports authored by Clifford McElrath. The reports are numbered C20-C73 and are retained copies of originals sent to the San Francisco office.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Log book no. 4: schooner Santa Cruz.**

Santa Cruz Island: April 28, 1914-January 13, 1939.

Manuscript, 285 pages, cloth with leather spine and tips.

The log is titled in pencil on the front free endpaper, with a few other notes below the title.

Construction is erroneously attributed to Andrew Turner as opposed to Matthew Turner. Another notation reads "Machinery put in by Harding Electrical Works, San Francisco, California." Two trial trips are noted. The first such trip was June 13, 1893 and the second June 22, 1893. New gas tanks were installed on December 23, 1927, giving the ship 534 gallons capacity.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Manuel du magasinier sur l'Ile Santa Cruz/wine shipments.**

Santa Cruz Island: February 26, 1896-November 1919.

French and English, manuscript, pages [1-66 excised] 67-70 [71-74 excised] 75-76 [77-86 excised] 87-178 [179-180 excised] 181-332 [gap in numbering but no evidence of missing leaves] 345-356 [357-368 excised] 369-392, green reversed sheepskin over boards, copper furniture on tips and spine ends, paper cover label stenciled in French and handwritten in English.

With the volume is a note on how to read it. The earliest entry is at page 353. From there, to follow chronologically, read backward from page 354 to page 268 (December 1903). Then, go to page 92 (January 1904). Read forward to page 227 (November 1919). Prohibition took effect on January 17, 1920. Pages 228-265 are ruled and the columns labeled, but are blank, standing in mute testimony to the Volstead Act.

As originally set up, the log of wine shipments contains the following information: date of shipment, number of invoice, packages, quantity or capacity (in gallons), quality (varietal and vintage year), value, destination, consignee, date of return of package (empty barrels), conveyance (includes vessel names), and remarks. Beginning with May 1, 1917 and continuing through to the end, a column for alcohol content was added.

Pages 369-392 comprise the warehouse keeper's manual. The French text reads from the bottom of 392 backward to the top of 369. There are 63 numbered paragraphs. Paragraphs 1-58 are in one hand, tables attached to 57 and 58 are in a second hand, paragraph 59 is in a third hand, paragraphs 60-61 are in the first hand, paragraphs 62 and 63 are in the third hand.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Official correspondence (superintendent's reports)**

Santa Cruz Island and San Francisco: December 3, 1908 to December 30, 1915.

Italian, manuscript, three bundles string bound at top with manuscript title labels.

Written on Company forms printed for the purpose, using additional blank sheets as needed. The reports were written on the Island and sent to the San Francisco office, with the record series maintained there. Many of the early reports bear the rubber stamp "O.K. | A.J.C." (Arthur J. Caire), a practice that was dropped after 1911. Written by Ugo Revel, the reports are numbered H32 through H214 and A1-A231.

Bundle 1: December 3, 1908-December 27, 1911.

Bundle 2: January 2, 1912-December 30, 1913.

Bundle 3: January 4, 1914-December 30, 1915.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Official correspondence (superintendent's reports)**

Santa Cruz Island and San Francisco: January 5, 1916 to August 15, 1919.

Italian and English, manuscript and typescript, string bound at top with manuscript title label.

Written by Ugo Revel (A232-A258, Italian, manuscript), Alanson Duncan Swain (B1-B214, English, manuscript and typescript) and Clifford McElrath (B215, C1, English, manuscript). Bound with numerous errors in sequence and missing the numbers A242, A245-247 and B186. Judging by the fact that the reports were written approximately weekly, and by the dates on the reports, the numbers may have been inadvertently omitted by the authors, as opposed to any reports physically lacking.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **[Operations journal]**

Santa Cruz Island: November 5, 1890-January 1896.

French (some entries and subject headings in English), manuscript, in **California daily journal for 1888**, 178 pages numbered by hand in longer unpaginated volume, occasional pen-and-ink drawings of structures or roads/trails, black cloth with black leather spine and tips, title stamped in gold on upper cover.

One volume of an encyclopedic log of Company activities, written at intervals throughout the volume. Includes cross-referencing. The subject headings are as follows, in order of appearance (not including cross references):

Sacateras

Salles à manger (dining rooms)

Sarments de vignes (grapevine seedlings)

Sauvignon vert

Saumure (brine)

Savon (soap, entry in English)

Schooner

Scorpion

Signaux pour nos navires (signals for our ships)

Sora (la)(source)

Sources

Smuggler's

Saddles (entry in English). As of October 21, 1894, all saddles in use on the Island were to be numbered. The requirement was to apply to existing as well as new saddles.

Soude

Soufrage barils (treating wine barrels with sulfur)

Soufrage vigne (treating vineyards with sulfur)  
Souris (mice)  
Sur Ranch  
Surintendant (Superintendent)  
Sacs vides (empty bags)  
Salaire (salary, pay)  
Sauterelles (grasshoppers, in vineyard)  
Scierie mecanique (sawmill)  
Séchoirs (dryers)  
Sel (salt)  
Statistiques (statistics)  
Suggestions (suggestions, hints)  
Suif (tallow)  
Shingles  
Shakes  
Sureau (elderberries)  
Sifflet (whistle)  
Sacs à orge (barley sacks)  
Sirops (syrups)  
Steamers  
Sacs à farine (flour sacks)  
“Santa Cruz”  
Store  
Tasses pour le vin (wine cups)  
Tableau synoptique (synoptical table)  
Taxes  
Téléphone (earliest entry May 1891)  
Toitures (roofs)  
Tomates (tomatoes)  
Terre (retenir la) (retaining walls)  
Tonte (mowing)  
Trappes (traps)  
Travailleurs (employees)  
Travaux generaux (general work)  
Tringles (fence) (fence rods)  
Tuyaux en caoutchou (rubber hoses)  
Tuyaux du cornet acoustique (horn pipes; appears to be signalling device)  
Tuyaux (pipes)  
Trespassers  
Touristes  
Vaqueros  
Veredas (Spanish; paths or trails)  
Verrouse (lock)  
Viande (meat)  
Victuailles (food)  
Vigne (grape vines)  
Vin (wine)  
Vinaigre (vinegar)  
Vis (screws)

Visiteurs

Voleurs (thieves)

Volouilles (poultry)

Water (entry in English) Concerns water for livestock.

Wine (entry in English)

Warehouse

Wharf

The pages for December 29 and 31 contain a discussion of the use of grapevine prunings for fuel.

Santa Cruz Island Company. [**Operations journal**]

Santa Cruz Island: 1903-1923.

Manuscript, in **The national diary** for 1903. 368 pages (incomplete), red cloth with title stamped in black on upper cover.

Topics covered, page references

Alfalfa cultivation 4

Cattle 56-57, 62, 64, 79-89

Cellar records 59, 61, 65, 67-70 (page 70 reproduced at page 53 of **The wine of Santa Cruz Island**), 248-254

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Creek work 58

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Telephone 99

Temperature 297

Trees 295-296, 344, 349-352

Vines 323-325

Water system/water works 340-343

Wharf (construction of new one in 1904 to replace one washed away) 337

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Payroll: volume 2.**

Santa Cruz Island: September 1889-April 1893.

Manuscript, 161 numbered double-page spreads, black cloth with brown leather spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "PAY | ROLL | 2 | S.C.I. CO."

The volume opens with two pages of abbreviations, denoting locations where employees worked and types of work done. Spreads 151-161 cover seasonal workers, beginning with the September-October 1889 autumn shearing. Seasonal employees came for autumn shearing, winter roundups of calves for castration, and spring shearing. Both this volume and the following are designated by spine numbering as Volume 2; the books are actually Volume 1 and Volume 2, or Volume 2 and Volume 3 (with Volume 1 not present in SCIF Archives).

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Payroll: volume 2.**

Santa Cruz Island: May 1893-April 1901.

Manuscript, unpaginated, black cloth with black leather spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "PAY ROLL | S.C.I. Co. | 2"

The volume follows the format of the earlier volume, but the spreads are not numbered. A pasted-in sheet gives new abbreviations for locations and tasks, to be used beginning April 1, 1898. Seasonal work is at the rear of the volume, beginning with the March-April 1893 spring shearing.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Payroll: volume 5.**

Santa Cruz Island: February 1909-May 1916.

Manuscript, 201 numbered double-page spreads, red cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "PAY ROLL | BOOK | 5 | SANTA CRUZ | ISLAND."

Abbreviations are listed on the first page. Spreads 176-201 cover seasonal work.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Payroll: volume 6.**

Santa Cruz Island: June 1916-September 1923.

Manuscript, 400 pages forming 198 spreads + 2 single pages, black cloth with roan spine and tips, spine stamped in gold "PAY ROLL | 6 | S.C.I. CO. | JUNE 1916."

Abbreviations are listed on the first page. Pages 317 through 378 were used and subsequently excised for reasons unknown. Pages 379-400 cover seasonal work.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **[Purchasing record]**

Santa Cruz Island: June 1906-December 1924.

Manuscript, two volumes, printed canvas with roan tips.

The front pastedown of the earlier volume lists the stoves in use on the Island, and on the front free endpaper is a partial index of items purchased. On page 11 is a listing for a sheep shearing machine, priced at \$15.50 and acquired by the Company at a 20 percent discount (\$12.40). Beginning in April 1910, a number of supplies were purchased in connection with a "New Residence." On the verso of the front free endpaper is a listing of "Implements on hand." The recto of the front free endpaper of the latter volume lists "Implements in use" and the verso contains a partial index of items purchased.

Volume 1: June 1906-April 1915.

Volume 2: May 1915-December 1924.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **[Purchasing record]**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1925-December 1936, January and May 1937.

Manuscript, 143 pages numbered 31-173 in 288-page blank book, unknown binding covered in kraft paper, titled in manuscript "S.C.I.Co." on upper cover and spine.

The number and variety of goods purchased dropped off in later years. The May 1937 entries are crossed out in red ink, with the notation "Void, charged to Justinian Caire II, change of ownership." A partial index to items purchased is found at page 288.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Requisitions.**

Santa Cruz Island: July 18, 1890-July 6, 1904.

English and French, manuscript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 515 sheets of copy paper, black cloth with roan spine and tips, paper title labels on upper cover and spine.

Listings of supplies needed on the Island. Many listings describe the items as being needed “at once”, “direct”, or “soon.”

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Shipments.**

San Francisco: May 6, 1906-October 26, 1911.

Manuscript and typescript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 312 sheets of copy paper, canvas titled in manuscript on spine.

This volume and the two following volumes contain retained copies of the **Invoices** sent to the Island. The **Shipments** and **Invoices** volumes (also in SCIF Archives) are complementary record series. The **Invoices** volumes cover an earlier period not covered by **Shipments**: September 18, 1882-September 20, 1898. Conversely, the last **Shipments** volume covers a period (1918-1923) not covered by **Invoices**.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Shipments.**

San Francisco: November 2, 1911-June 12, 1917.

Manuscript and typescript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 307 sheets of copy paper, canvas with spine stamped in black “S.C.I. CO. | SHIPMENTS | 2 | NOV. 1911”

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Shipments.**

San Francisco: June 13, 1917-June 22, 1923.

Manuscript and typescript, in copy book. Index section (blank) + 300 sheets of copy paper, black cloth with black leather spine (deteriorated), stamped in gold “SHIPMENTS | 3 | JUNE 1917”



Santa Cruz Island Company. **Store accounts.**

Santa Cruz Island: July 18, 1894-March 30, 1896.

French and English, manuscript, 191 pages, marbled boards with leather spine and tips, manuscript title label on upper cover.

The store accounts record begins at page 191 and moves backward through the volume, going back to page 1 (although the latest entries are at page 14). The listings include: sale date, name of purchaser, merchandise sold, amount, and whether the sale was cash or credit. The merchandise included: wine, tobacco, stamps, clothing, soap, paper and, only occasionally, foodstuffs. At the bottom of page 112 is a reference to 560 fichas, apparently the equivalent of \$28.00. Pages 6, 8 and 10, among others, record sales of shears to shearers, at \$1.50 each. The store records are in English.

This volume was used for other purposes before its store use, and the store records flow around the other writings. Page 1 titles the volume **Registre des troupeaux généraux & produits de l'Ile Sta. Cruz, commencé le 1er juin de l'année 1881**. The relevant content is at pages 2-5 (livestock census in French), 7 and 9 (census of sheep and wool produced, fall shearing, 1882, English), 11 (cavalry census, September 1882, English), page 15 (census of sheep and wool produced, spring shearing, 1883, English), page 30 (shipments of wool to San Francisco, 1881-3, French/English), pages 40-41 (shipments of sheep skins to San Francisco, 1881-3, French/English), page 50 (shipments of tallow to San Francisco, 1881-3, French/English), page 60 (sales and deliveries of leather, 1881-3, French/English), page 64 (shipments of salted pork, French/English), pages 66-70 (sales and deliveries of sheep, 1881-3, French/English), page 80 (sales and deliveries of livestock, 1881-2, French), page 86 (sales and deliveries of horses, 1881-3, French/English), pages 90-91 (sales and deliveries of various products, 1881-2, French/English), page 100 (produce, French), page 106 (alfalfa and grain, French), page 110 (firewood, French), page 120 (freight carried by schooner, 1881-3, French/English), page 126 (campsite rent, 1881-3, French/English), pages 130, 136, 160 (lambing, 1881-3, French), page 146 (foaling, 1881-2, French).

Pages 10, 14, 22-23 and 51 list Italian employees by name, position and home city/region.

Pages 182-184 list engagements of employees in San Francisco in 1883 and 1884.

Indexing throughout the volume indicates that it had been intended at one point, to be repurposed as a company manual, although the entries were never written.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Store sales.**

Santa Cruz Island: March 1899-May 1917.

Manuscript, eight volumes, printed canvas with roan or red cloth tips, manuscript title labels on upper covers.

Listed: Sale date, name of purchaser, merchandise sold, amount, and whether the sale was cash or credit.

Volume 1: March 1899-August 1902. No tips on binding.

Volume 2: September 1902-September 1904.

Volume 3: September 1904-May 1906.

Volume 4: May 1906-July 1908.

Volume 5: July 1908-February 1910.

Volume 6: February 1910-November 1911.

Volume 7: November 1911-December 1913.

Volume 8: January 1914-May 1917. No title label.

**SANTA CRUZ ISLAND COMPANY:  
STANTON FAMILY**

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Employee records 1956-1985.**

Santa Cruz Island: April 3, 1956-September 30, 1985.

Typescript and manuscript (Carey Stanton's hand except for a few notes in Henry Duffield's hand) on loose-leaf paper, black three-ring binder with title label on spine.

Arranged alphabetically by employee last name, one page per employee. The first hiring listed is April 3, 1956 and the last departure September 30, 1985. Lists names, Social Security numbers, dates of birth, contact information for relatives, dates of employment, salary and vacation. Handwritten notes comment as to employee performance and departures. These notes are candid both positively and negatively.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Employee records 1982-1987.**

Santa Cruz Island: July 17, 1982-November 3, 1987.

Typescript and manuscript (Carey Stanton's hand), on loose-leaf paper, brown three-ring binder.

Arranged as above, listing five employees. Also includes information on Stanton bank accounts and worker compensation insurance.

Santa Cruz Island Company. [**Journal**]

Santa Cruz Island: September 9, 1957-December 8, 1987.

Manuscript in Carey Stanton's hand, 66 pages, printed canvas with red fabricoid tips.

Chronological record of items including commissary stock and monies due to the commissary, petty cash, wages paid, "liquor given for work", Christmas presents, and a few write-offs of small bad debts.

Santa Cruz Island Company. [**Journal of employee accounts**]

Santa Cruz Island: June 13, 1958-November 28, 1965.

Manuscript in Carey Stanton's hand, [16, index], 69 pages in 284-page blank book, black fabricoid with red fabricoid trim.

Log of employee cash accounts: withdrawals and deposits.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Landing permit applications.**

Los Angeles: 1981-1985.

Printed forms filled out in manuscript or typescript, on yellow paper unless a photocopy of the form was used, approximately 1.5 cubic feet.

Issued from the Company office at 515 South Flower Street, Los Angeles. Filled out by vessel owners, these include personal contact information, and information on the boats (name of vessel, registration number, type, length, number of berths and whether the boat has complete cooking facilities). The applications are filed alphabetically by vessel name (as done by Marla Daily; SCIF did not receive this record series in any discernible order).

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Log book no. 5: schooner Santa Cruz.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1, 1939-December 31, 1950.

Manuscript, 152 pages, black cloth with red fabricoid spine and tips.

The entries for January 1-13, 1939 are copied from the preceding log book. On the front endpaper E.L. Stanton is noted as the owner as of June 1937. Improvements made to the vessel between then and June 1950, are noted below.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Prisoners' Harbor, Santa Cruz Island.**

Santa Cruz Island: June 21, 1985-April 18, 1988.

Manuscript in multiple hands, 85 pages in 300-page blank book, black fabricoid with red fabricoid spine and tips, title stamped in gold on upper cover.

Guest book for the Prisoners' Harbor campground.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Santa Cruz Island generator log.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 5, 1969-August 3, 1977.

Manuscript, 15 pages (most sheets in binder are blank) on loose-leaf paper, black three-ring binder with title label on spine and section tabs.

Power generation on the Island.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Sheep: corridas made and sheep caught on Santa Cruz Island.**

Santa Cruz Island: 1955-1962.

Manuscript in Carey Stanton's hand, 10 pages in 152-page blank book, black cloth with red cloth tips.

Santa Cruz Island Company. **Work distribution.**

Santa Cruz Island: January 1985-April 1988.

Manuscript primarily in Carey Stanton's hand, 40 horizontal-format printed sheets in black oversized loose-leaf binder.

Pasted to the inside front cover of the binder are two lists of codes, a shorter one in Italian and a longer one in English, dated May and June 1961 respectively. These denote types of work done by a given employee on a given day. At all times during this period the number of employees was less than ten.

The final two sheets record tetanus vaccination status.

Stanton, Carey. **Correspondence.**

Santa Cruz Island and elsewhere: May 29, 1959-November 4, 1969.

Manuscript and typescript, approximately 46 items, housed in three-ring binder.

Includes incoming letters and Dr. Stanton's replies to them. Most of the Stanton letters are carbon copies with a few originals. Many inquiries and replies concern visitation to the Island, permission for which was rarely granted except for visitors who would be self-sufficient on boats. A letter of March 21, 1962 explains the landing permit and its conditions, including the requirement that all cooking and sleeping be aboard boats. Requests to camp (with the longstanding exception for Cate and Thacher school groups) or land animals such as horses were always declined. A pair of letters of March 1961 (in photocopy), between Dr. Stanton and Al Vail, concern chartering of the "Vaquero II." A November 4, 1969 letter from Stanton to Vail expresses sympathy in light of the fire on Santa Rosa Island (kitchen/mess hall) that killed Howard Albert Anderson.

Stanton, Carey. **Correspondence.**

Santa Cruz Island and elsewhere: February 20, 1970-July 21, 1979.

Manuscript and typescript, approximately 33 items, housed in three-ring binder.

Includes incoming letters and Dr. Stanton's replies to them. Most of the Stanton letters are carbon copies or photocopies, with a few originals. There are letters from and to friends and acquaintances. Other letters decline permission for groups to hike or camp on the Island. On October 15, 1971 he replied that he was "not in the slightest interested" in a proposal to put an international airport on the Island. Stanton had a fractious relationship with the Sierra Club in light of their views about ownership of the Island, and the binder includes letters reflecting same.

Stanton, Carey. **Correspondence.**

Santa Cruz Island and elsewhere: April 29, 1981-December 21, 1987.

Manuscript and typescript, approximately 125 items, housed in three-ring binder.

Includes incoming letters and Dr. Stanton's replies to them. Most of the Stanton letters are carbon copies or photocopies, with a few originals. In July 1982 he answered an inquiry about a possible aquaculture (of abalone) operation in the area of Prisoners' Harbor; he sounded intrigued by the idea. With respect to visitation, Dr. Stanton continued to decline requests (although there is a delightful letter of invitation dated August 31, 1983). Correspondence with friends and acquaintances is included. A letter to The Nature Conservancy of February 15, 1986 (replying to a letter of January 31) is a strong statement of the bad feelings that were already brewing. Four letters that passed between the author Richard G. Lillard, TNC and Stanton further document these issues. The last Stanton letter is dated October 24, 1987; he died December 8. The binder includes obituaries, a copy of the will, and a copy of the Petition to Administer Estate.

Stanton, Carey. **Three address books.**

Loose-leaf, leather bindings with silk endsheets and index tabs.

Service, business and personal listings. The most recent of the three, as ascertained from changed and deleted listings, has a note attached indicating that it is for Dr. Stanton's Sierra Madre house.

(Stanton, Carey) **File of documents pertaining to the Silver Beehive Telephone Company and its application to the California Public Utilities Commission, to provide telephone service to Santa Cruz and San Clemente Islands, and the surrounding water areas.**

Various places: 1968-1970.

Loose documents, 3 inches stacked, in legal-sized expandable file envelope.

Dr. Stanton, who kept this file, opposed the application.

(Stanton, Carey) **Letters addressed to Carey Stanton.**

Various places: February 19, 1938-November 11, 1987.

Manuscript and typescript, approximately 65 items, housed in three-ring binder. Envelopes included with some but not all letters.

Many of the letters are requests to visit the Island or otherwise bear on visitation, including a July 1987 group of three concerning the fact that it was a violation of a landing permit to publish anything about one's landing on the Island. There are several letters written to express appreciation for Dr. Stanton's stewardship of the Island. Other correspondence is of a personal nature, requesting money or favors from Dr. Stanton, or wanting to get acquainted with him.

(Stanton, Carey)(Book collection)(Fore-edge painting) **The guardian, with notes and illustrations.**  
London: I. Walker & Co. (et alia), 1822.

Two volumes, xii, 343; viii, 348, 16 pages, contemporary red straight-grained morocco gilt, spines in five compartments.

Each volume has a double fore-edge painting; the paintings are titled in pencil on the verso of the front free endpaper of Volume 1.

Volume 1: "A Remarkable Mountain near the River Monterey" and "View of Santa Barbara on the Coast of California." Volume 2: "View of the Presidio of Monterey" and "View of Monterey."

Dr. Stanton acquired this set from Dawson's Book Shop of Los Angeles; their cost code and price are written below the titles. The text is a literary/variety serial originally published in 1713.

(Stanton, Edwin L.) **Corporate records book of the Wilkinson Auto Parts Company / Edwin L. Stanton, Inc. / Stanton Axle Company.**

Los Angeles: April 7, 1920-July 31, 1936.

Manuscript and typescript, 232 pages, black cloth with roan spine and tips, tab divided into sections for bylaws, minutes, journal and ledger. Some content is written directly into the volume. Other content, including most minutes, is comprised of printed/typewritten documents that were pasted in.

Edwin L. Stanton was elected secretary and director on August 15, 1921, replacing J.L. Benedict. On May 12, 1925, it was resolved that the corporation's name be changed to Edwin L. Stanton, Inc., Stanton having by then acquired all but four shares. On May 5, 1936 the company name was changed to Stanton Axle Company. Edwin and Evelyn L. Stanton, by then the sole shareholders, elected on Christmas Eve, 1936, to wind up and dissolve Stanton Axle.

**SANTA CRUZ ISLAND FOUNDATION**

Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Cash book.**

Santa Cruz Island: February 3, 1987-April 18, 1988.

Manuscript in three hands beginning with Carey Stanton's, 5 pages in 300-page blank book, printed green canvas.

Records the first receipts and disbursements of the then-newly-formed Santa Cruz Island Foundation.

Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Guest registry.**

Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz Island: December 17, 1987-December 11, 1999.

Manuscript in multiple hands, unpaginated, black leather, all edges gilt.

In the envelope taped to the front endpaper is a partial table of contents, running up through November 20, 1990. The events covered are:

Memorial service for Carey Stanton, All Saints' by-the-Sea, Montecito, December 17, 1987.

Funeral service for Carey Stanton, Chapel, Santa Cruz Island, January 8, 1988.

Feast of the Holy Cross (Mass), Chapel, Santa Cruz Island, May 3, 1988.

Visitors to SCIF offices, Valdez House, 1010 Anacapa, Santa Barbara, June 18, 1988-December 2, 1999. The Valdez House guest registry runs throughout the volume, with the registries for special events interspersed.

Advisory Council Annual Meeting, Mural Room, SB Courthouse, December 10, 1988. All Advisory Council meetings up through 1999 are in the volume.

Santa Barbara Historical Society Luncheon, Valdez House, March 12, 1989.

Santa Barbara Courthouse Docents, Valdez House, March 16, 1989.

Stanton Family Reunion, Santa Cruz Island, September 9, 1989.

Visitors from Santa Barbara Museum of Art, Valdez House, September 16, 1989.

University Club, Valdez House, February 20, 1992.

Santa Rosa Island Meeting, Valdez House, March 31, 1992.

Santa Barbara Island Visitor Center Opening, October 23, 1993.

Santa Rosa Island Retreat, January 15-16, 1994.

Christy Trip, June 17-19, 1994.

San Miguel Island Trip, July 8-11, 1994.

SCIF evening at Lotusland, August 26, 1995.

Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Guest registry.**

Santa Barbara and Santa Cruz Island: September 14, 1998-December 7, 2019.

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The events covered are:

Exaltation of the Holy Cross (Mass), September 14, 1998.

Visitors to SCIF offices, Valdez House, January 6, 2000 and going forward. In September 2012 the Foundation moved to Carpinteria, and the guest registry continued with visitors to the new offices. Channel Cat Cruise, September 15, 2000.

Advisory Council Meeting, December 9, 2000. All Advisory Council Meetings up through 2012 are in the volume. After that the record series becomes spotty, with 2014 included, only 2 names for 2018, and 2019 included. The other years are lacking.

All Eight Club BBQ, August 3, 2002.

Nidever Monument Dedication, November 1, 2008.

All Eight Club gathering, August 8, 2018.



Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Guest registry for the Chapel of the Holy Cross, Santa Cruz Island.**

Santa Cruz Island: December 2, 1986-May 3, 2017.

Manuscript in multiple hands, unpaginated, black leather with “Chapel of the Holy Cross | Santa Cruz Island” stamped in gold on upper cover, all edges gilt.

The events covered are:

Service for Henry Duffield, December 2, 1986.

Feast of the Holy Cross, May 3, 1989. Invitation taped into volume. The registry includes the invitations and guest signatures for the Feast of the Holy Cross (Mass), up through 2017. The 2003 Mass was postponed due to rain and held on September 13 (Exaltation of the Holy Cross).

Guests at the SCIF office at 1010 Anacapa Street, January 1991.

Feast of Saint Rose of Lima, August 23, 1995.

Feast of Saint Rose of Lima, August 24, 1996.

Clifton Smith burial service, SB Cemetery, March 15, 1999.

Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Guest registry for the Chapel of the Holy Cross, Santa Cruz Island, Volume II.**

Santa Cruz Island: May 3, 2018-date.

Manuscript in multiple hands, unpaginated, black leather with “Chapel of the Holy Cross | Santa Cruz Island | Volume II” stamped in gold on upper cover, all edges gilt, ribbon bookmark.

As of this writing the volume contains the invitations and guest signatures for the 2018-2022 Masses. Formal invitations were not issued in the years 2020 through 2022. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic that reached the USA in the winter of 2020, the 2020 and 2021 Masses were scaled back. That for 2020 was held on September 14 (Exaltation) and had 20 guests. The 2021 Mass returned to May 3, and had 26 guests including the celebrant. Approximately 50 people attended the 2022 service, as the country emerged from the pandemic time.

Santa Cruz Island Foundation. **Tax returns (IRS Form 990-PF: Return of Private Foundation; California Form 199: Exempt Organization Annual Information Statement or Return; California Form CT-2: Periodic Report to Attorney General of California).**

Santa Barbara: 1988-2001, 2004, 2006-2007, 2009-2014, 2016-2020.

The following accounting firms prepared the returns: Ernst & Whinney (1988); Damitz, Brooks, Nightingale, Turner & Morrisset (1989-2001); MacFarlane, Faletti & Co (2004, 2006-2007, 2009-2011); McGowan Guntermann (2012-2014); MacFarlane, Faletti & Co. (2016-2020).

The returns for 1999-2001, 2004, 2006 (draft) and 2007 (draft) had been in the files of Price, Postel & Parma before being returned to SCIF. All other returns have been maintained in the SCIF offices since their creation. When returns for the missing years are located and placed in the Archives, this entry will be amended accordingly.

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